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1. AT JULY 9 POLADS MEETING, U.S. REP (SHOSTAL) DREW ON INFORMATION IN REF A. ALLIED REPS EXPRESSED THEIR APPRECIATION FOR INFORMATION.

2. DUTCH REP (HORAK) WAS SURPRISED AT REPORT (PARA 1, CONFIDENTIAL

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REF A) THAT DUTCH CP WAS PRESENT AT DRAFTING SESSION. DUTCH REP SAID TO HIS KNOWLEDGE DUTCH COMMUNISTS WERE MAOIST AND IT WAS UNLIKELY THEY WOULD HAVE BEEN PRESENT AND SUPPORTING SOVIET POSTION.

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3. CANADIAN REP (FOWELL) COMMENTED THAT CANADIAN EMBASSY IN
BUDAPEST HAD HEARD THAT YUGOSLAVIA'S KARDELJ, WHILE ATTENDING
LAST COMECON MEETING, HAD TRIED TO PERSUADE THE
HUNGARIANS OF THE CORRECTNESS OF YUGOSLAV POSTION ON ECPC.
CANADIAN REP COMMENTED THE YUGOSLAVS APPARENTLY HOPED THAT
THE HUNGARIANS WOULD INTERVENE ON BEHALF OF THE YUGOSLAV-
ITALIAN-ROMANIAN FACTION WITH THE SOVIETS AND THEIR SUPPORTERS AND
CONVINCE THE LATTER GROUP TO RELENT ON THEIR INSISTENCE ON UNITY
AND A BINDING FINAL DOCUMENT. THE CANADIANS SPECULATE THAT THE
YUGOSLAVS THOUGHT THE HUNGARIANS MIGHT BE WILLING TO PLAY SUCH
A ROLE BECAUSE OF REMARKS KADAR MADE LAST DECEMEBER THAT INDICATED
TOLERANCE FOR DIFFERING OPINIONS AMONG COMMUNIST PARTIES.
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